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## Point-of-Sale Systems (POS)

Class 705. Subclasses 16-25

*Point of sale terminals or electronic cash registers. Subject matter includes computerized arrangements for including a mechanism for affecting a transaction and determining the amount of a sale which may also be a terminal in a system*

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### Examiner's Digest/Articles

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### Books (available in EIC2700)

-  *The Business Case for Retail POS*. Electronic Funds Transfer Association.  
(Comprehensive overview of POS systems.)  
(Coming soon)
-  *Automation Pays!: How to Automate Your Business*. Sandra H. Record (Editor). Aces  
Four Pres, 1995.  
(Practical focus on switching a business from cash registers and manual  
methods of capturing data to automated systems.)  
(Coming soon)

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### Journals

✱ [Chain Store Age.com](#)

(Web site has current news and a searchable archive of full text articles from 1999. Back issues from 1/72 available on [Proquest Direct](#).)

[Nation's Restaurant News](#)

(Top stories from current issue online. Web site has a technology section and a searchable archive of titles and abstracts. Back issues available on [Proquest Direct](#) to January 1994.)

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## Web Resources

✱ [ISIT.com](#) Free Library of POS articles

(Collection of articles and white papers on POS. Links to major POS manufacturers and vendors.)

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## Assignees - Point-of-Sale Systems

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## Association/Corporations

✱ [ARTS \(Association for Retail Technology Standards\)](#)

(ARTS is developing a unified POS standard. Site links to the standard and to a standard retail data model.)

✱ [UCC \(Uniform Code Council\)](#)

(Standards organization for product identification and related electronic communication. Formerly the Uniform Product Code Council. Site contains glossary, timeline and business process information.)

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